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Hitoshi Ebiara

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CALCULATING EXECUTION LOAD, AND
COMPUTER PROGRAM

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the official action mailed December 31, 2003, applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.

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